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THE CZAR SAID TO BE CONTEMPLATING ALMOST BROKEN DOWN BY THE DEATH A REPORT THAT HE MAY BE CALLED TO TO BE PRIVATE SECRETARY TO THE NEW

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RETURNING FROM THE FUNERAL AND WEDDING ENTHUSIASTI-

CALLY RECEIVED ALONG

THE ROUTE.

St. Petersburg. Nov. 28.-It is said that the Czar intends to introduce several important reforms in the administration of the Government, the principal change being the establishment of Parliamentary representation.

It is estimated that the Czar's manifesto, issued on his wedding day, remits about 50,000,000 rubles in taxes to the poor.

The members of the Municipal Council of St. petersburg have unanimously resolved to preget bread and salt to Count Lannes de Monte-

set bread and sait to Count Lannes de Monte-bello, the French Ambassador to Russia. This geremony is equivalent to the presentation of the freedom of the city.

The marriage of the Czar was celebrated in Finiand with great enthusiasm on Monday. The city of Heisingfors was profusely decorated, and gala performances were held in the theatres in the evening. Business was suspended, and the schools and public offices were closed.

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Although berths had been engaged in St. Petersaurg a week in advance, all of the passengers in the sleeping car were turned out just before the train left St. Petersburg last evening, in order that the car might be occupied by a Russian Grand-duke, who was on his way to Warsaw. General de Boisdeffre, the chief staff officer of the French Navy, who have been in St. Petersburg as representatives of the French Republic at the funeral of Emperor Alexander III and the marriage of Czar Nicholas II, are returning to Paris by the way of Berlin, and have been in St. Petersburg as representatives of the French Republic at the funeral of Emperor Alexander III and the marriage of Czar Nicholas II, are returning to Paris by the way of Berlin, and have been in St. Petersburg to the Prussian frontier. Upon St. Petersburg at II o'clock last evenins, the French representatives were greeted by the authorities and entertained at supper by them in the royal room which all Russian radiway stations posses.

Arriving at Wilma this morning, they were met by the Governor and the officers of the garrison, and after an exchange of civilities were escotted to the royal room for breakfast.

The city of Kevno was gayly decorated with flags in honor of the French representatives, and as the train halted at the station two bands of music viel with each other in an excerable rendition of the Marseillaise, the air being distorted out of tune and time. The Governor and hundreds of officers and residents of the city were at the station to review the distinguished Frenchmen, and in the entertainment which followed champagne towalle water, while a military band alternately played the Russian anthem and the Marseillaise. Wen hats were not removed by the populace in More of the city's guests, they were promptly haved the activity guests they were promptly in this two prompts of the city's guests they were promptly in the state of the city's guests they were promptly

Budapest, Nov. 28.-Professor Vambery, an authority on the Eastern question, writes to the "Pesther Lloyd" that the Anglo-Russian understanding cannot be more than temporary, as Russia and England can no more be associated in peace than fire and water.

#### THE CZAREWITCH REPORTED DEAD. INCONFIRMED SENSATIONAL RUMORS AFLOAT IN ODESSA AND ST. PETERSBURG.

London, Nov. 28 .- "The Times's" correspondent in Odessa says it is reported that the Czarewitch, who has lung disease, has become suddenly

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Cenwith is dead, and that the fact has been suppressed on account of the wedding. There is no confirmation of these reports.

#### THE HOVAS EAGER FOR WAR. GREAT ENTHUSIASM AROUSED BY THE QUEEN'S

ADDRESS TO THE PEOPLE. Port Louis Mauritlus, Nov. 28.-Advices from Tamatave say that the address issued by Queen Ranavolo, exhorting the Hovas to resist the French, has been received by the people with frantic enthusiasm. The Catholics among the Hovas are forming committees to protect their churches. The Hova Premier has promised to protect the Nor-wegian and English missions.

ELECTION FRAUDS BY WHOLESALE. A BIG SCANDAL BREAKS OUT IN TOULOUSE-THE

NAME OF M. CONSTANS BROUGHT INTO IT. London, Nov. 28.—"The Daily News" says that the trial of wholesale electoral forgeries in Toulouse is stirring up mud such as has not been witnessed since the Panama scandals. The accused men are mere second-rate clerks, who admit forging and erasing 1,600 names from the roll of electors. They plead that they were instructed by superiors who were influenced by exalted personages even judges. The names of the latter were divulged by M. Duboul, one of the witnesses, who adduced proofs was proclaimed, the results being cooked.

The opposition newspapers in Paris reproduce the reputed telegraphic communications between exMinister Constans and the Prefect of Toulouse, in which the former promised to shelter the Prefect in Cooking the votes.

THE FUNERAL OF RUBINSTEIN. E Petersburg, Nov. 28.-The funeral of Antor Gregor Rubinstein took place in the Alexander Newski Church at noon to-day. Delegates from many musical societies followed the coffin of the great planist and composer from Peterhof to St Petersburg when it was brought to this city yester

MAY BRING THE RED HAT TO SATOLLI. Rome, Nov. 28.-In regard to the visit to Rome of Cardinal Gibbons, of Baltimore, who is expected here in Pebruary, it is said in Vatican circles that the Pope desires that when the Cardinal returns to the United States he shall take with him Mon-signer Satelli's Cardinal's hat.

A private letter to a man in this city from an hentic source at Rome says that the report of a change in the Apostolic Delegate to America and the appointment of Dr. Rooker, Vice-Rector of the American College at Rome, as secretary to the Delegate, is contradicted on authority.

## FENIAN ACTIVITY REVIVING.

ondon Nov. 28.—The police and postal officials of London and Liverpool are closely watching the development of a revival of Fenian activity in both The movement is attributed to the Ameri can section of the Irish party. The police ar constantly shadowing John Morley, Mr. Balfour and others who have been prominent in the affairs of Ireland, in order to shield them from danger.

AN IMERICAN KILLED IN MEXICO. St. Leuis, Nov. 28.-A dispatch to "The Globe-Democrat" from Monclova, Mexico, says that George Martin, who claimed to be a New-York newspaper man, walking on a wager from Pittsburg to South America, was killed near Santa Carina on Monday by being run over by a heavy freight wagon, from which he fell while riding to the Sierra Mojada mining camp. His body was taken to Sierra Mojada, where it is held awaiting notice from his relatives or friends as to its disposition.

ALLEGED GERMAN SPIES IN PARIS.

Paris, Nov. 28 .- The "Matin" says that the Ger man Embassy is the principal centre of espionage in Paria. A high official of the Ministry of War declares that more than 100 naturalized French citizens are acting as spies in France, and he demands their arrest.

New-York

HUNDREDS OF SYMPATHETIC MESSAGES RE. RUMORS THAT HE HAS BEEN AGAIN DEGRADED CEIVED-PLANS FOR THE FUNERAL-EMPEROR

Berlin, Nov. 28.-Prince Bismarck is greatly pros trated by the death of his wife, and is being carefully watched by his physicians. He passed a sleepless night, and his daughter, the Countess von Rantzau, remained constantly at his Count von Rantzau and Count William Bismarck, the ex-Chancellor's younger son, with his wife, arrived at Varzin last evening. Prince Bismarck was so overcome with emotion that he was unable to speak to his son for some time after his

It is said that the death of the Princess was hastened by a cold which she contracted while coming to Varzin. The Schlawe authorities having neglected to provide a special train, the Prinwas obliged to take a coach from that place upon her arrival there at midnight.

The "Lokalanzeiger" says that Prince Bismarck has not personally received any of the large number of neighbors, dwellers upon the Varzin estate and others, who have called to express their sympathy and condolence. Drs. Schweninger and Chrysander are actively executing his orders in vices will probably be held on Friday or Saturday in the Castle, and will be conducted by Herr Schutoining village of Wussow, who has already conferred with Prince Bismarck in regard to the sermon and memorial speech. The Prince's gardener corating the great salon of the castle, where the bier has been placed. Hundreds of telegram of sympathy and condolence are being received by the ex-Chancellor, among them messages from Signor Crispi, Prime Minister of Italy; Emperot Francis Joseph of Austria, Count Kaluoky, Prime Minister of Austria, ex-Empress Frederick and Chancellor von Hohenlohe-Schillingsfurst. Pr Chrysander showed to the ex-Chancellor only a few of these messages. Among those shown to him were those sent by the Kaiser, Emperor Franci the bier has been placed. Hundreds of telegrams

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The body of the Princess is being embalmed. Prince Bismarck has ordered his saloon carriag, which was recently repaired at Stolpe, to be kept in readiness at the Hammermuhie station, and, the condition of his health permitting he will start with the body of his wife on Sunday or Monday and proceed direct to Schoenhausen, where the coffin will be piaced in the vault which was recently built for the Bismarck family. Prince Bismarck will not return to Varzin after leaving the castle for Friedrichsruh, and the estate will fall to his son, Count William.

The "Herold" says that Princess Bismarck will be quietly burled at Varzin, but that the date of the funeral has not yet been fixed. This change in the arrangements has been made in order to prevent Prince Bismarck from being exposed to the cold weather and other harmful influences.

Emperor William intended to go to Princess Bismarck's funeral, but he is suffering from a severe cold, and his physicians dissuaded him. He has delegated his adjutant, Major von Moltke, and Prince Leopoid, of Prussia, to represent him. The Emperor will also be unable to attend the funeral of the Grand-duke hereditary of Sax-Weimar, and has abandoned his proposed shooting excursion to Kuchelna.

#### SIR JULIAN PAUNCEFOTE BUSY

London, Nov. 28.-Sir Julian Pauncefote, British Ambassador to the United States, has had numerous interviews in the last few days with Lord Kimberley, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs. Sir Julian will sail for America on Saturday.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCKS IN CANADA. Montreal, Nov. 28.-A dispatch from Huntington says that two severe shocks of earthquake were felt there this morning about 11 o'clock. Windows in the courthouse rattled violently. The shock was also felt at Atheistan and Ormstown.

THE PORTUGUESE PARLIAMENT DISSOLVED. Lisbon, Nov. 28.-An attempt to reform the rules scenes on Monday that the King has dissolved Parliament.

## THE FEMALE FORMS WERE DRAPED.

THEATRICAL MANAGERS HEARD THAT WOMEN'S COMMITTEES WERE OUT AFTER EVIDENCE AGAINST LIVING PICTURES

There was a well-defined rumor affoat in the upthe Women's Christian Temperance Union was to

He reviews what has been accomplished by the Reform party since his induction into office four years ago, enumerating the chief measures as follows: The erection and endowment of Clemson College, the overthrow of the Coosaw phosphate College, the overthrow of the component of monopoly; the just and equitable assessment of taxes on railroads and other corporations, and the victory in the courts compelling them to pay: the passage of the Dispensary law and the destruction of the barrooms; refunding of the State debt, which saves \$78,000 a year in interest; the establishment of the Winthrop Normal and Industrial College for Women; election of the Railroad Commissioners by the people, and allowing them to fix passenger and freight rates; the inauguration of the primary system of party nominations for all offices in the gift of the people. Speaking of the Dispensary law, Governor Till-

man says:

I speak advisedly when I say that no new and untried experiment in legislation has ever made so many friends in so short a time, or taken such deep root in the popular heart. The law has come to stay.

Tillman recommends State control of police in those cities and towns where there is the most difficulty in enforcing the law, and thinks the Governor should have power to suspend Sheriffs and solicitors who fail to enforce the law.
In closing his message the Governor says that
he has charity for his many enemies, known and
unknown, and who hate him; with love and gratitude he returns the commission intrusted to him
by the people, proud that they are still his stanch
supporters.

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The Legislature did nothing of importance, and adjourned until Friday. The members will go to Rock Hill to-morrow as the Thanksgiving guests of that city, where they will also inspect the Girls' Normal College.

# BROOM MANUFACTURERS COMBINE.

Amsterdam, N. Y., Nov. 28 (Special). To-day Amsterdam, N. Y., Nov. 28 (Special).—To-day there was formed in this city an association to be known as the American Broom and Brush Company, to engage in the broom business. The following firms have associated themselves together: Myers & Parker, of Fultonville, E. Howard & Sons, of Fort Hunter; Dallas Broom Company, of Dallas of Fort Hunter, Dallas Broom Company, of Dallas, Penn., and the Goodman Manufacturing Company, of Richmond, Va. In addition, the company has purchased the extensive plant of John D. Elood & Co., the largest in the world, in this city, and the firm will retire from the management of the business. The new company will control one-fifth of the broom output of this country. It will have a large capital at its command, All the abovenamed factories shut down to-day for an inventory. The main office of the company will be in New-York.

METHOD IN HIS MADNESS, AT ANY RATE. Albany, Nov. 28.-Gottfried Bahler, an escaped inmate of the Ogdensburg State Hospital, applied to the State Lunacy Commissioners to-day to be sent back to the institution. He gave himself up. He came from Washington, where he had been to see the Swiss Minister to get him interested in his case. He is row satisfied that it will be investigated. He says that he has escaped twice because the authorities refused to look into his case or to investigate the claim that he was sane. He has a wife and family living in Watertown, and he went to the Executive Chamber before he visited the office of the Lunacy Commissioners. There he asked to see the Governor, but Private Secretary Williams sent him to the Lunacy Commissioners. This afternoon he was sent to Ogdensburg in the care of an attendant. The record in his case, filed with the Lunacy Commission, states that he is a dangerous man, and that he has homicidal tendencies. Hε has been travelling about the country for several months. He came from Washington, where he had been to

PEKING TO "SAVE THE COUNTRY."

TO BE ALREADY IN PROGRESS. London, Nov. 28.-The Central News hears from Tien-Tsin that Li Hung Chang has gone to Pao-Ting-Foo, his usual winter residence and the seat of the Provincial Government. His departure has given rise to many false rumors, to Viceroy's friends say that the time is near when he will be summoned to Peking to save the coun-

try by his statesmanship. The Tokio correspondent of the Central News cables that there was an engagement near Mo-Tien-Ling on the 25th. The Kirin troops tried to break the Japanese right flank, but were repulsed. The Japanese loss was forty-eight killed

and wounded. On November 20, before the storming of the siege and field guns in well-chosen positions, and rained shot and shell upon the Chinese en-trenchments. Tals bembardment made possible the rapid success of the assault. The Japanese have found at Port Arthur a chart which has enabled them to locate exactly and control all the mines in the harbor. In accordance with a telegram from Hiro-

In accordance with a telegram from Hiro-shima. Dr. Hart, the principal surgeon at Chiu-Lien, will be released to report to the directors of the Hiroshima hospitals.

"The Times's" correspondent in Che-Fao says

A Shanghal dispatch says that the Japanese terpedo-hoats sank more than twenty junks oaded with fugitives from Port Arthur,

Washington, Nov. 28.-Messrs, Denby and Dun, the United States Ministers at Poking and Tokio,

tiations may be expected in a few days.

Ten days have passed since Japan informed the United Stater that she would receive a proposition from China, made directly through the American Ministers, who have for months been charged—the he affairs of each country in the other, and to those who know the extreme anxiety of China to secure peace on any terms it is evident that the opportunity offered by Japan has not been neglected by China.

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Officials at the State Department consider Mr.
Dietering, the Chinese customs official who is in
Japan, as simply a personal emissary of Li Hung
Chang, and not as a representative of the Chinese

## HUNTING DOWN THE BANDITS.

POUR MEMBERS OF THE COOK GANG CAUGHT IN. CLUDING "SKEETER," WHO PLEADS GUILTY OF TRAIN RODDERY

Fort Smith, Ark., Nov. 2. Four members of the Cook gang. "Will." Ferris, Charles Turner, "Jess" Snider and Thurman Haldwin-arrived here yesterdividual who hat worked with the notorious Cook gang since it began operations under the pseudonyme "Skeeter's" identity having been es tablished beyond a doubt, he was yesterday ar-

Visit the theatres where living pictures were on exhibition, for the purpose, of securing evidence against the managers.

It was said that a committee went to the Imperial Music Hall, another to the Garden Theatre and a third to Koster & Bial's.

The managers of there places heard that the women were on their way, and when the curtains rolled up on the living pictures, the female forms were carefully draped. The managers had no definite information concerning the visit, but they thought it best to be on the safe side.

GOVERNOR TILLMAN REVIEWS HIS WORK.

Columbia, S. C., Nov. 2s.—Governor Tillman's message was read before the Legislature to-day. He reviews what has been accomplished by the

here of a rumored hold-up of a Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific train at Minco, I. T., to-day. A story to that effect, which reached here to-day, is undoubtedly false. Upon hearing the rumor the Rock Island officials sent a telegram to the chief dispatcher at Chickasaw, who answered that a train robbery had not been reported. Deputy United States Marshal Henderson left here for Chickasaw to-night, in answer to a telegram call-Chickasaw to-night, in answer to a telegram call-ing him there immediately. A telegram received here to-day says the Cook gang is camped out just above Minco. This probably gave rise to the ru-mor. To-night the Rock Island train, which left, here at 8-15, and which will reach Minco at 2 in the morning, was heavily guarded, fearing that it was the intentior of the Cook gang to hold up this train. The United States marshals and dep-uties in the Indian Territory have been brought together and will be aboard all trains passing through the Indian Territory to-night.

# SWINDLED BY GREEN-GOODS MEN.

AN OHIO "GUY" EXCHANGES \$550 FOR GREEN PAPER-HEADQUARTERS IN WEST-ST.

Flemington, N. J., Nov. 28, John Eberhardt, who says he lives at No. 2,000 Wakemann-st., Toledo, says he lives at No. 200 Wakemann-st. Toledo, Onio, is walking the streets here to-night, having no money, no railroad ticket nor, in fact, anything else. Up to this afternoon he had £00. Now his possensions consist of a battered tin box, a dollar bill and a big bundle of green paper.

Eherhardt says that in response to letters written to him by James Carrow, of No. 87 West-st.

New-York City, he came to Bethlehem, Penn., yesterday. Carrow offered to sell him thousands of "green-goods" for a few hundreds in genuine cash. Cherhardt started East, and when he arrived at Bethlehem last night he went direct to the Pacific House, following instructions, and remained in his room there until two men called. One of them re-mained with him until this merning, when he and Eberharat took an eastbound train. They alighted at Bound Brook, and there visited a house, which Eberhardt thinks he could find if he was taken back to Bound Brook. There they found two men, neither of whom Eberhardt had seen before. After some talk, the man who said he was Carrow offered to let Eberhardt have \$5,600 in counterfeit money for the \$500 he had with him. The exchange was me and Eberhardt saw \$1,000 in new counterfeit bills counted out to him, and, as he supposed, put in the box and the box locked. Eberhardt was escorted to the depot by the two men, and as the train for New York left before the westbound one the men bid him goodby and boarded it. Eberhardt took the him goodby and boarded ii. Eberhardt took the westbound express, which arrived a few minute later. Once inside the car, he opened his box in the presence of the passengers and train-crew, who crowded about him. In the box were three package. On top of one was a single doilar bill. The rest of that package and all of the others were made upongreen paper of the cheapest kind. As the train stopped here he rushed out to see what he could to catch the green-goods iren. To the officer at the depot he told his tale, and asked that the methe arrested. He furnished a description of the men, which was at once telegraphed along the line but the train which the men boarded was a way train, and therefore the men had ample opportunity to leave it. belief of the passengers and train-crew, who crowded about him. In the box were three packages. On top of one was a single doilar bill. The rest of that parkage and all of the others were made up of green paper of the cheapest kind. As the train stoped here he rushed out to see what he could do to catch the green-goods men. To the officer at the depot he told his tale, and asked that the men be arrested. He furnished a description of the men, which was at once telegraphed along the line, but the train which the men boarded was a way train, and therefore the men had ample opportunity to leave it.

A NEW-YORKER KILLED IN RIO.

Baltimore, Nov. 28—A dispatch from Rio de Janeiro to-day announces that Max Northman, of New-York, has been assassinated in that place. Northman was a coffee buyer and represented a prominent New-York coffee firm. He had been in Rio about two years.

A PARLIAMENT FOR RUSSIA. BISMARCK'S GREAT SORROW. TO SUMMON LI HUNG CHANG. JOB E. HEDGES SELECTED.

MAYOR.

THE OFFER MADE BY COLONEL STRONG AND AC-CEPTED-MR. HEDGES'S CREDITABLE

WORKER. Mayor-elect William L. Strong yesterday authorized the announcement of his first appoint- Shoal, and to-day has had a terrible raking in ment. He has offered to Job E. Hedges, the well- the northwest gale that has prevailed from the known, earnest, thoroughgoing, stalwart young hour of her misfortune. The Pardee came Republican, the place of secretary and chief through Hell Gate late yesterday, and this mornclerk of the Mayor's office. The holder of the place is commonly called the Mayor's private o'clock, when she was driven ashore. Informasecretary, but the title given herewith is the cor- tion of her disaster was sent to this city, and rect one. The salary is \$5,000 a year, and the tenure is during the Mayor's pleasure. Hedges has accepted the office and will enter upon his duties with his chief on January 1.

Tribune, Colonel Strong, shortly after the election, offered the place to General Anson G. Mc-Cook, who, aided by Mr. Hedges, had charge of No confidence is violated in saying that General McCook's declination of the office was not a surprise to the Mayor-elect. It has been in timated, however, that by the time the Mayor's Removal bill becomes a law the General's busiept an important post at the head of a department in Colonel Strong's administration.

Job E. Hedges was born in Elizabeth, N. J., May 10, 1862. His parents removed to Dansville Livingston County, N. Y., and his father entered the Union Army in the 14th New-York Heavy Artillery. He was killed in battle after having attained the rank of major. Young Hedges atbia College Law School, and was admitted to the in the conduct of negotiations for peace between | bar. He was a law clerk in the office of Hastings & Gleason, the senior partner having been pri-

Mr. Hedger has a political record which any young man might be proud of. He has been a member of the Republican County Committee ber from the XIth Assembly District, declining a re-election because it was not unanimous. He was secretary and one of the most active men hers of the Republican State League from 18 was secretar) and one of the most active members of the Republican State League from 1890 to 1853. He was recording secretary of the Republican Club in 1859 and 1890. In 1891 he was a member of the special committee on the recorganization of the XIIIth Assembly District. He is now chairman of he Committee on Organization of the old organization. The only mon-political association be belongs to is the Princetor Club, it which he was on the Executive Committee for some time.

My Hedges is at present assignee of H. H. Warner, of Safe Cure fame, and has been engaged in untangling the affairs of this patent medicine man. When the well-known case against General Lester B. Faulkner and his brother James for wrecking the Dansville National Bank was tried, My Hedges was associated with Daniel N. Lockwood, United States District-Attorney for the Western District of New-York, for the prosecution.

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## DARING ATTEMPT AT JAIL DELIVERY.

A PRISONER IN ESSEX COUNTY, N. J., CONCEALS HIMSELF IN A WELL AND TRIES TO FREE HIS FELLOWS.

A daring attempt at jail delivery was made at the Essex County Penitentiary, Newark, yesterday morn-

in Richmone Terrace, Port Richmond, Staten Island, yesterday, and said that they wished to be married and wanted the ceremony performed

by Justice Mullin.
In reply to Justice Mullin's question be replied that his name was Frank Peters, and said that he fived at Oneida, Madison County, where he had for several years been a well-known hetel propafor several years etor. His companion, he said, was Miss Lizzle Leachtenhauer, of Dunhamville, Madison County. When Mr. Peters was asked why he did not have the ceremony performed by either a clergyman or Catholic priest, the young woman smiled and said: "Judge you know a marriage ceremony performed by a priest is everlasting, and it is to this tormed by a priest is everlasting, and it is to this that I object, because I may some day want to be divorced. It is for that reason that we have decided to be married by a justice, as it is not so binding in the courts."

This statement somewhat startled JusticeMullin, who at first declined to have anything to do with the ceremony. He relented, however, later.

## AN ALLEGED INVESTMENT FRAUD.

OLIN ADAMS, PRESIDENT OF THE DESENTURE INVESTMENT COMPANY, OF BOSTON, CHARGED WITH SWINDLING.

Boston, Nov. 28.-President Olin Adams, of the Debenture Investment Company, with its principal offices in the Equitable Building, this city, and in Dubuque, Iowa, was arrested to-day, charged with securing \$1,000 by means of false pretences in April and August, 188, from Dr. E. A. Sanborn, of No. 24 Franklin-st., in the neighboring city of Somer-ville, John F. McKay, counsel for Dr. Sanborn, s authority for the statement that several more complaints of a similar nature will be preferred against Mr. Adams and other officers of the company before the case is finally heard in the crim-

The arrest of President Adams was made on a inal courts. warrant Issued by a Municipal Court Judge, and there is a warrant out for the arrest of another of the officers of the company, who, it is believed, will soon be taken into custody. Mr. Adams was before the Municipal Court this afternoon, and was held

It is alleged that the Debenture Company has been engaged in buying parcels of real estate of small value on which large mortgages have been placed and put on deposit with the Boston Safe peposit and Trust Company, which simply certified that the mortgages had been deposited with it. false pretence alleged against the president of the Debenture Company consisted in giving a fictitious value to the mortgaged property, on which the

### DROWNED IN THE GALE.

SEVERAL SAILORS LOST IN THE SOUND.

THE SCHOONER ANNIE J. PARDEE GOES ASHORE

ON CORNFIELD SHOAL-ALL THE CREW MAY BE LOST.

New-London, Nov. 28.-The big three-masted schooner Annie J. Pardee, owned by Benedict & Co., of New-Haven, loaded with coal, bound from Philadelphia to Boston, is ashore on Cornfield ing had gone down the Sound to Cornfield at 9 Captain Scott was asked to send tugs to get her off. The T. A. Scott and Alert were dispatched to her aid immediately, but the flerce sea and terrific wind prevented them from getting up to where the Pardee was Iring. The tugs put in to Saybrook this evening to wait the subsidence of the wind.

New-Haven, Nov. 28 .- A dispatch from Lyme at midnight says that four of the crew of the schooner Annie J. Pardee, of this port, ashore on Cornfield Shoal, have been washed overboard and drowned. Three others are said to be cling-ing to the rigging. The weather is extremely ing to the rigging. The weather is extremely cold and the wind blows a gale. Communication with Saybrook Point and Lyme cannot be reestablished until daylight,

#### LOZIER BICYCLE WORKS DESTROYED.

THEY WERE BURNED LAST NIGHT WITH A LOSS OF \$500,000-FIVE HUNDRED OUT OF WORK.

Toledo, Ohio, Nov. 28 .- Fire to-night destroyed Lozier Manufacturing Company's bicycle plant in Central-ave., said to be the largest factory of its kind in the United States. The flames started in the enamelling department, originating from the explosion of a tank of en-amelling fluid, and in less than three-quarters of thelling fluid, and in less than three-quarters of hour the building was destroyed. The less I not be less than \$500,60, and the insurance 1400,000. Flue hours will not be less than \$500,00, and the insurance is \$400,000. Five hundred men are thrown out of work. The loss falls particularly heavily on the company at this time, as the factory had just started to turn out over 25,000 wheels for the 1895 trade. It is not known whether or not the company will rebuild.

## SHE SANK WITH SIX OF HER CREW.

THE SCHOONER GRACIE H. BENSON RUN DOWN BY A STEAMER AT THE ENTRANCE TO BOSTON HARBOR. Boston, Nev. 28.-A collision occurred early this morning at the entrance to Boston Harbor by which

the fishing schooner Gracie H. Benson was sunk and six of her crew were drowned. The Benson arrived at this port yesterday with a full fare of fish, and after disposing of this she left here at about midnight for Provincetown. She was proceeding out of the channel with a fair wind, and when about midway between Boston Light and the Bug Light the Philadelphia and Reading steamer Reading, with the barge Suffolk in tow, from Philadelphia, loomed up in front of her. While the schooner was endeavoring to tack across the steamer's bows to avoid a collision the latter struck and she filled and sank in about two minutes Reading immediately stopped and lowered a boat, which went to the assistance of the crew of the sunken vessel. She succeeded in picking up seven of them who were clinging to wreckage. The tugboat Wesley A. Gove, Captain William Parker, was following in the wake of the Reading, with the large four-masted schooner Katherine D. Perry in tow. Captain Parker anchored the schooner hurried to the assistance of the erew of the sunken vessel. Four men who were clinging to one of the mastheads were taken aboard, and they informed Captain Parker that one of the crew had drifted on the booby hatch and another one on a distance outside of Boston Light rescued the man from the booby hatch. Soom after the trawl hausted and had gone down with the Another member of the crew was knocked overheard by the force of the collision and drowned.

down before the collision occurred, and it was in an effort to get out of her way that his schooner was effort to get out of her way that his schooner was struck. Captain Beed, of the Reading, says that he was moving at a moderate rate of speed and that the collision was unavoidable. He remained by the scene of the disaster all night and rendered all possible assistance in saving the lives of the crew. The Gracie H. Benson belongs in Provincetown, and her principal owner is Nathan Young, of that place. She was valued at about \$5,000, and carried only \$150 insurance.

The names of the men who were drowned are: Edward Harvender, nineteen years old, a nephew of the captain; Fred Merritt, thirty-four years old, a native of Digby, N. S., and single; John Rink, forty years old, single; William Newcomb, single; Fred Bonner, twenty-six years old, single, a native of St. Peters, N. S., and Augusta dast name unknown, a Portuguese, single, twenty-two years old, all of whom have lived in Provincetown for several years.

# SWEARING ALLEGIANCE TO THE COLORS

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY IN THE STH BATTALION ARMORY.

The 8th Battalion was reviewed last night at its armory, Park-ave, and Ninety-fourth-st., by Colonel George D. Scott, and there was a dance, but the feature of the evening was the impressive ceremony of swearing allegiance to the colors. It was the first ceremony of the kind in the history of the State militia. Major Henry Chauncey, jr., was in command. The battation being in line, ranks were opened and the command given: "Carry arms, colors front, march!" Then the colors, accompanied by the color-guard, advanced fifteen paces to the front and took position facing the centre of the feature of the evening was the impressive ceremony front and took position facing the centre of the battalion, with the National colors on the right. "Order arms" came the command, and then the

Major took position three paces to the right and three paces to the front of the colors.

"Officers and men of the 8th Battalion," he said, "forasmuch as we, each and every one, have taken a colemn oath to defend the Constitution of the United States and that of the State of New-York, recognizing thereby the sovereignty of the United States and of this State, it is meet that we should

States and of this State, it is meet that we should likewise take an oath in like manner to honor and defend the flag of our country, as being the visible sign of such sovereignty.

"Therefore, let us bind ourselves by a solemn oath to such honor and defence."

Then the oath was administered. The ceremony was highly impressive, and will no doubt be followed by other commands.

### SCARED WOMEN JUMP FROM WINDOWS. THREE OF THEM RECEIVE INJURIES WHICH WILL

PROBABLY PROVE FATAL. Washington, Nov. 28.-About II o'clock this morn-

ing fire started in one of the disorderly houses on Thirteenth-st., south of Pennsylvania-ave., within two blocks of the Treasury Department, which casioned considerable excitement and probably loss of life. The flames originated in the L of the building and quickly communicated with the front part, where all the inmates were sound asleep. The women became panic-stricken at once. There was not one who could not with safety have reached the ground by the stairs, but all jumped from the windows. Belie Addison, the housekeeper, who re-cently came from New-York, received a fracture of the skull, and will die. Flora Preston, a recent ar-rival from Baltimore, will die. Minnie Preston re-ceived internal injuries and her condition is serious.

#### FLAMES IN A COAL MINE. Princeton, Ill., Nov. 28.-The buildings of No. 1

shaft at Spring Valley were completely destroyed by fire early this morning. The flames are now at work on the timbers of the shaft and it is thought will soon reach the coal beds below. The damage already sustained is \$35,000, and should the flames reach the numerous wooden passage-ways and the face of the coal the loss will be in excess of \$500. face of the coal the loss will be in excess of \$500,-000. The night men employed in the mines made their escape through the safety shaft. The fire broke out about 3 o'clock this morning and its origin is unknown. It was preceded, however, by the burning of a large private house and burgiars breaking into the Northwestern depot.

# AGAINST BAKER'S ESTATE

PRICE THREE CENTS.

SUITS BROUGHT BY THE SHOE AND

LEATHER BANK AND OTHER CREDITORS.

THE BODY OF THE SUICIDE BURIED-HIS STOMACH REMOVED FOR CHEMICAL AN-ALYSIS-A REWARD MAY BE OFFERED FOR SEELY'S

ARREST. The body of Frederick Baker was laid in a grave in Greenwood yesterday, and his wife and children, who were present at the burial, still professed to believe that he had not robbed the National Shoe and Leather Bank of \$354,000, with the aid of Samuel C. Seely, the fugitive bookkeeper. Baker's body was found in the water at Sands Point on Saturday, when he was to have been arrested on the charge of robbing the

bank. With the permission of the family there had been an autopsy on Baker's body at Sands Point, and the stomach was removed for chemical analysis. Baker's life had been insured in the Mutual Reserve Fund Life Association, and Dr. Louis L. Seaman, representing the association, had asked for the autopsy, because it was suspected that Baker had taken poison, Baker's body was floating in the water when it was discovered, and that fact indicated that he was dead when he fell into the water. If he had been drowned his body would have sunk. Dr. Estabrook, who assisted in the autopsy, said yesterday that no water was found in the lungs, and that the vital organs appeared to be in a normal condition. He also made this statement:

It has been suggested that Baker stood up in the noat and took a dose of prussic acid or aconitia. These poisons, especially the former, are practically instantaneous in their action, and these would have stopped the action of the lungs at once. Baker would have reen dead when he struck the water. Another theory is that he may have inhaled chloroform until he became unconscious, and then fallen into the water.

The chemical analysis necessary to determine if Baker's death was caused by poison may re STEPS TO RECOVER FROM THE ESTATE

The National Shoe and Leather Bank yesterday took the first step in the effort to recover from the Baker estate some of the stolen mone In the afternoon Putney & Bishop, the bank's counsel, filed in the Supreme Court the cor plaint in six actions, brought in behalf of the bank and all other creditors of Baker, the object of which is to track the money which came into the hands of Baker which he obtained fraudulently from the bank, through the assistance of Seely, and recover as much of it as A large part of the money taken from the bank is said to have been invested in real estate in this city and elsewhere, and by these six suits the lawyers will endeavor to show that various pieces of property which they have traced to Baker were purchased with the money and the title placed in the names of other pe

The complaints in the cases are almos identical, and set up almost substantially the same facts. It is charged that previous to January 1, 1891, Baker became indebted to the bank in the sum of at least \$100,000, moneys received by him belonging to the bank over and above all credits and set-offs which he was entitled to, which he got in collusion with bookkeeper Seely, and fraudusently appropriated to his own use. The complaints state that Baker died insolvent, and that he made transfers of various pieces of his property for the purpose of defrauding his

creditors.

It is further charged that Baker left a will by the provisions of which he named his wife, Amelia from the after the trawinad become exith the vessel. Schocked overand drowned.

Benson, states ination to slow and it was in an inchesion of the bank with the aid of Seely, but thus far we have been unable to find among Baker's effects any papers which show that he had any dealings with the bank. We have at the bank some of his checks on which he drew money, however,

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"The suits are filed under Chapter 487 of the Laws of 1889, authorizing the creditors of a de-ceased insolvent debtor to have the transferences of any property of the latter set aside and de-clared null and void, and to follow the funds of the invested on property."

THE AMOUNT WHICH MAY BE RECOV-ERED. Mr. Bishop said that he could not tell how

much money could be recovered from Baker's property. "Will it come near covering the defalcation?" he was asked.

"Oh, no; it will not reach any figure like that," "Oh, no; it will not reach any space to the replied.

The present suits are, it is said, but only the beginning of a series of suits to be brought against Baker's property. Mr. Bishop would not tell what time the remaining box in the safe-deposit vaults would be opened.

"If I told the time we are going to open the box," said he, "we would have 500 reporters around us. I will not say anything until it is opened."

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Mrs. Baker has an interest in the contents of the box, and the box cannot be opened until she is present. Herbert S. Ogden, the counsel for the Baker family, said yesterday that he believed Seely had several accomplices in the robbery of the National Shoe and Leather Bank. Baker's estate, the lawyer said, would not amount to more than \$60,000, and as the family had not lived extravagantly, it was absurd to suppose that Baker had taken \$354,000 from the bank. The lawyer also declared that the bank would have difficulty in showing that any of the money stolen from the bank had been used by Baker in the purchase of real estate.

"So far as can be ascertained, Baker held no property in his own name in Queens County," said County Clerk John H. Sutphen, at Roslyn, L. I., yesterday, Early yesterday morning Mr. Sutphen forwarded a list of the property owned by the Bakers to the law firm of Pitney & Bishop, counsel for the Shoe and Leather Bank. All the property owned by any of the Bakers in Queens County was free from debt. The records show that the property at Sands Point is in the hands of Baker's wife. She also owns a lot in Maspeth, which she purchased from George H. Vandewater, and another in Woodhaven. The records further show that Frederick A. Baker, on January 2, 1891, purchased two lots in Woodhaven, for which he paid \$600.

There is a record of \$2,400 paid by Mrs. Baker on May 27, 1889, toward the property at Sands Point. November 17, 1888, she paid \$646, and on September 15, 1887, \$8,550 for the same purpose. On April 4, 1890, the last payment of \$10 was made to Adam Moss, the original owner.

On April 8, 1892, Mrs. Baker bought lots in Maspeth known as Nos. 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129 and 130, and seven other lots in Maspeth, from John Batersby. For these she paid \$6,000.

As far as ascertained, no property in Queens County was held in the name of the dead lawyer.

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United States marshals, Pinkerton detectives and the police were still searching for Samuel C. Seely yesterday. Frank W Angel, Seely's counsel, was visited in his office in Fulton-st. by some of the detectives, and there were fresh reports that Seely was about to give himself up and that efforts were being made to secure ball for him. Mr. Angel declined to talk on the sub-

Cashier Van Vieck, of the National Shoe and Leather Bank, accompanied by Detective-Sergeants Titus, Frink, Sheridan, and Kraush, called at the office of Assistant District-Attorney Battle yesterday afternoon. They held an extended conference, and then went to Colonel Fellows's office. A short time afterward they went down stairs and talked with Judge Martine. Mr. Battle said that no definite action had been taken, as there was a question whether or not the State had any jurisdiction in the case of 'a National bank.

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